

WorkSafe RS Licence Course Details

Course Name: TLILIC0011 - Licence to operate a reach stacker (greater than 3 tonnes capacity)

WorkSafe Licence: WorkSafe High Risk Work Licence- RS

Duration: 3 X 8 Hour Days (face-to-face training and assessment)
We highly recommend that you read the Learner Guide and complete the activity book at home (may take approximately 6 hours) before attending face-to-face training. *Training and assessment day times can vary due to a number of reasons including but not limited to individual student requirements on the day of training and assessment.*

Location: Go Workplace Training (RTO Registration Code: 22464) offers this training course onsite

Dress Requirements: Closed toed shoes. PPE: High visibility vests and hard hats.

Equipment Requirements:

- Access to a Reach Stacker with a maximum rated capacity greater than 3 tonnes in a safe working order, in accordance with manufacturer requirements
- Reach Stacker which has a current, valid and updated logbook, load charts and is registered with the relevant state regulatory body
- Reach Stacker is up to date with servicing (including 10 year service) & all signs & labels are legible
- Reach Stacker has a container spreader including:
 - Rotation device to rotate container
 - Appropriate extension for various length containers
 - Side-shift to balance/ equalise container
 - Twist locks to engage & disengage the container
- Access to a container that is at least 50% of the maximum capacity of the Reach Stacker
- Ability for the container to be stacked at least 3 containers high
- Room for the Reach Stacker to be moved through a course, including a 90-degree turn in reverse
- Fixed channel two-way radios

Material Required: Go Workplace Training provides all other material including Learner Guide, workbook, reference materials, assessment paperwork and administrative documentation.

GWPT Selection Criteria: There are no formal entry requirements/pre-requisites noted within the training package for this unit of competency. The RTO selection criteria include the following:

- Participants must be at least 18 years old.
- Can use the English language at a level that enables the safe performance of high risk work.
- Students must also be able to understand the provided texts; comprehend the training in a classroom environment and be able to respond to short answer questions in English. A sample of the text and example of short answer questions are available on request. We recommend that all participants complete a Learning, Literacy, Numeracy and Digital Skills Assessment at the time of booking, and to discuss any specific learning needs at this time.
If the LLND test is not returned during the period outlined in the Confirmation Email, and the participant is assessed during the course as not meeting the LLND requirements of the course, the full course fee remains payable.
- Participants are required to have general good health and fitness and any pre-existing medical conditions that will affect the training must be disclosed prior to attending.
- To obtain a WorkSafe Licence, participants must reside in Victoria or, if residence is elsewhere, have reasonable grounds for applying for the licence in Victoria. If you do not reside in Victoria,

WorkSafe may require you to provide them with evidence of your reason for requiring a Victorian HRW Licence.

- If you are not an Australian or New Zealand citizen, or Australian permanent resident, you must ensure that your visa permits you to study in Australia.

Course Description:

Reach stacker means a powered reach stacker that incorporates an attachment for lifting and lowering a shipping container. This unit applies to the activities of a person operating a reach stacker greater than 3 tonnes capacity that incorporates an attachment for lifting, moving and travelling with a shipping container (not including a shore based container handling gantry crane).

This course has both theory and practical components. Training and assessment requirements include:

- Day 1, 2 - Training and assessment for the unit of competency – covering the requirements of the training product, using Activity Book and associated handouts (as applicable to the course), and
- Day 3 - The final WorkSafe Victoria high risk work licence assessment, using the National Assessment Instruments (conducted after successful completion of the unit of competency).

WorkSafe's approved National Assessment Instrument (licence test)- Under closed book assessment conditions, students will be required to complete a:

- Written test with 70 questions, 66 answered correctly (95%)
- Calculations test with 3 questions, all answered correctly (100%).
- Practical assessment

At the successful completion of this course, participants will be able to safely operate a Reach Stacker (over 3T) and be able to apply a working knowledge of the OH&S and regulatory requirements in accordance with WorkSafe standards. This includes:

- Conducting Pre-Start Checks
- Operating a reach stacker (over 3 tonne) in a safe manner
- Correctly shutting down the machine

Outcome:

At the successful completion of this unit of competency requirements, participants will receive a Statement of Attainment for that unit. This is not a WorkSafe licence for the applicable licence class. Once participants successfully complete licence assessment, they will receive an email from WorkSafe containing a link to access a Notice of Assessment (which acts as a temporary licence for 60 days from the original assessment day). Participants are required to lodge their Notice of Assessment on the My WorkSafe Portal or at Australia Post and pay the WorkSafe Licence fee within the 60 days from the original licence assessment day to obtain the actual Licence from WorkSafe. Competence in this unit, does not in itself result in a high-risk work licence.

RPL/ Credit Transfer:

Individuals possessing a valid plant licence and recent operational experience (within the last 6 months) with the relevant machinery can apply for Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) to obtain the related competency unit. Operating reach stackers in Victoria requires a WorkSafe licence. Therefore, any previous experience operating this equipment without the necessary licence is not eligible for recognition. Credit Transfer is available for an equivalent unit of competency.

Employment Pathways:

This unit has a licensing outcome, and successful participants will be able to apply to WorkSafe for a Licence to operate a reach stacker (RS). Reach stackers can be operated in various work settings and industries such as wharfs/docks/cargo terminals, logistics, supply chain, transport and construction.

Learning Pathways:

Students who satisfactorily complete this course may consider undertaking other plant licence courses. Students may also undertake other nationally recognised courses in logistics, transport, construction, civil infrastructure, supply chain or similar areas.